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FM AMEMBASSY ALGIERS

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4235

INFO AMEMBASSY NOUAKCHOTT

AMEMBASSY RABAT

USMISSION USUN NEW YORK

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, AG, SS

SUBJECT: SAHARA: MEDIA REACTION TO ENDING OF RYDBECK MISSION

1. ALGERIAN PRESS APRIL 5 TERMS DECISION BY MOROCCO AND MAURITANIA NOT TO RECEIVE UNSYG'S SPECIAL SAHARA ENVOY RYDBECK "ESCALATION IN DEFIANCE OF UN" AND ASSERTS THAT RABAT AND NOUAKCHOTT SEEKING TO TORPEDO A MISSION WHOSE OBJECTIVE WAS TO STUDY WAYS OF PUTTING UN RESOLUTIONS INTO EFFECT. OTHER ARTICLES STATE THAT, GIVEN POSITION OF INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS ON SAHARA QUESTION, RYDBECK'S MEETING WITH POLISARIO AND SAHRAOUI REFUGEE REPRESENTATIVES FIT WELL INTO FRAMEWORK OF HIS FACT-FINDING MISSION. RABAT'S EMBARRASSMENT AT RYDBECK MISSION, PRESS SAYS, UNDERSTANDABLE SINCE RYDBECK WAS IN POSITION TO LIVE DRAMA AND SUFFERING TO WHICH SAHRAOUI PEOPLE HAVE BEEN SUBJECTED AS RESULT OF MOROCCAN AND MAURITANIAN INVASION.

2. WE UNDERSTAND THAT RYDBECK HAS RETURNED TO NEW YORK FROM GENEVA. PARKER

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